Argentina

Overview: ranked 29/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▲ 2 from 2021
Death: 4 journalists killed since 2016 (IPI)
Imprisonment: 0? journalists imprisoned since ____ (RSF)
Legal restrictions: ranked 2/180 (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: Govt interference; verbal harassment; limited access to info (V-Dem)

DRC

Overview: ranked 125/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▲ 24 from 2021
Death: 15 local journalists killed since 2006 (UNESCO)
Imprisonment: 41 journalists imprisoned since 2017 (RSF)
Legal restrictions: ranked 108/180 (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: Govt interference; physical harassment; verbal harassment; govt disinformation (V-Dem)

Haiti

Overview: ranked 70/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▲ 17 from 2021
Death: 22 journalists killed since 2016 (IPI)
Imprisonment: 0? journalists imprisoned since ____ (RSF)
Legal restrictions: ranked 63/180 (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: Govt interference; physical harassment; arrests; limited access to info (V-Dem)

Mexico

Overview: ranked 127/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▲ 16 from 2021
Death: 150 local journalists killed since 1997 (UNESCO)
Imprisonment: 0? journalists imprisoned since ____ (RSF)
Legal restrictions: ranked 91/180 (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: Limited access to info; verbal harassment; govt disinformation (V-Dem)

Mongolia

Overview: ranked 90/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▼ -22 from 2021
Death: __ local journalists killed since ____ (UNESCO)
Imprisonment: 0? journalists imprisoned since ____ (RSF)
Legal restrictions: ranked 110/180 in press freedom (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: New legal restrictions; govt disinformation (V-Dem)

Nepal

Overview: ranked 76/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▲ 30 from 2021
Death: 17 journalists killed since 2000 (CPJ)
Imprisonment: 2 journalists imprisoned since 2022 (RSF)

Legal restrictions: ranked 89/180 (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: Govt interference; arrests; physical harassment; verbal harassment (V-Dem)

Puerto Rico (U.S.)

Overview: ranked 42/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▲ 2 from 2021
Death: 9 local journalists killed since 2016 (UNESCO)
Imprisonment: 0? journalists imprisoned since ____ (RSF)
Legal restrictions: ranked 46/180 (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: Limited access to info; verbal harassment; govt disinformation (V-Dem)
Media during COVID-19 (PR): New legal restrictions (CPJ, ACLU)

Sri Lanka

Overview: ranked 146/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▼ -19 from 2021
Death: 25 journalists killed since 1999 (CPJ)
Imprisonment: 2 journalists imprisoned since 2020 (RSF)
Legal restrictions: ranked 132/180 (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: Govt interference; arrests; govt disinformation (V-Dem)

Uganda

Overview: ranked 132/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▼ -7 from 2021
Death: 4 local journalists killed since 2010 (UNESCO);
- novelist tortured after insulting the President and his son (HRW)

Imprisonment: 21 journalists imprisoned since 2017 (RSF)
Legal restrictions: ranked 107/180 (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: Govt interference; arrests; physical harassment; verbal harassment; limited access to info; internet shutdown; govt disinformation (V-Dem)

Zambia

Overview: ranked 109/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▲ 6 from 2021
Death: 1 journalist killed since 2019 (CPJ)
Imprisonment: 1 journalist imprisoned since 2018 (RSF)
Legal restrictions: ranked 115/180 (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: no restrictions/rights violations (V-Dem)

Zimbabwe

Overview: ranked 137/180 in press freedom (RSF) ▼ -7 from 2021
Death: 1 journalist killed since 2007 (RSF)
Imprisonment: 7 journalists imprisoned since 2017 (RSF)

Legal restrictions: ranked 127/180 (RSF)
Media during COVID-19: New legal restrictions; govt interference; arrests; physical harassment; verbal harassment; limited access to info (V-Dem)